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LORETTA SANCHEZ

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**Jeff S. Jordan,
Supervisory Attorney
Dear Mr. Jordan,**

I am sending along a packet of materials we have presented to members of Congress explaining our opposition to a Bill introduced by Re. L. Sanchez HR1581 (also S453). I am also enclosing an additional mailer from our campaign.

The so called "intimidation letter" never existed. However, Ms. Sanchez used her influence to have a political crony use an inaccurate translation of a translation of a letter, serve as a pretext to invade my home and Campaign Headquarters and interfere with a Federal Election.

The State agents, acting under color of law seized my computers, and my mailing lists, and even campaign signs, effectively stopping my campaign dead.

Despite newspaper reports to the contrary, the latest pollsters shown me actually ahead of Ms. Sanchez

The fact that Ms. Sanchez met personally and privately with the former Attorney General Bill Lockyer prior to the raid is indicative of the underlying motivation of the investigation. Mr. Lockyer took the unprecedented step of telephoning the Republican County Chairman and urging him to withdraw support from me, which subsequently occurred.

There were even more bizarre occurrences which support the theory that the raid was merely part of an effort to interfere with a Federal Election and the various Voting Rights Laws.

Hopewilly, you will take the time to review the enclosed materials. If you do wish to proceed further, please feel free to contact me for additional information.


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(HR1281)

**A DANGEROUS CURE
FOR A PROBLEM THAT
DOESN'T EXIST!**

***Did a series of mailers, like
the one below, inspire the
STATE POLICE RAID
on Tan's Home and
Campaign Headquarters?***



Rep Linda Sanchez



Rep. William Jefferson



Rep Loretta Sanchez

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WHAT DO THESE 3 POLITICIANS HAVE IN COMMON?

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Don't be and afraid by what it says.

TAN NGUYEN
PHOTOGRAPHY

On October 20, 2006, two weeks after a series of mailers (like the one pictured at left) were received by the voters, and three weeks before the election, State Police raided Congressional Candidate Tan Nguyen's Home and Campaign Headquarters.

The raid was based on the false claim of Tan's opponent Rep. Loretta Sanchez that Tan's Campaign had sent out a letter which "intimidated Latino voters" ...

The California Attorney General's Office obtained the original letter, which had been written in English, and closed the case after concluding that the version circulated by Ms. Sanchez was an inaccurate translation of a translation.

S453 refers to and relies on the inaccurate translation of a translation to justify its passage.

Tan Nguyen was neither permitted to speak at the Senate Judiciary Committee's hearing, nor include the actual original letter in the record.

The actual original letter was sent to dissuade non-citizens from voting.

Read the original letter, and then decide if S453 is more dangerous than the imaginary problem it seeks to cure...

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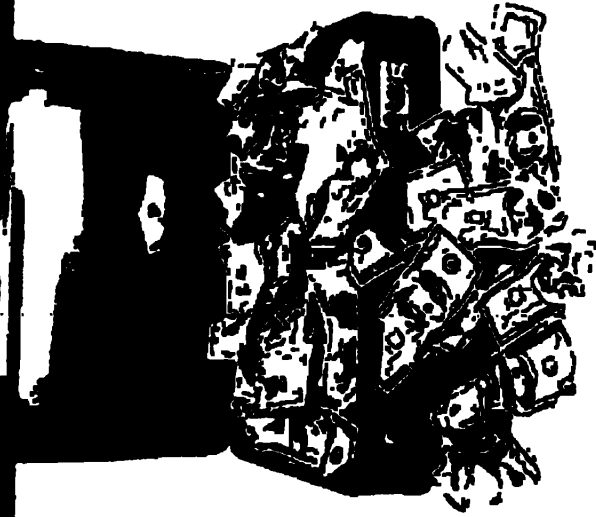
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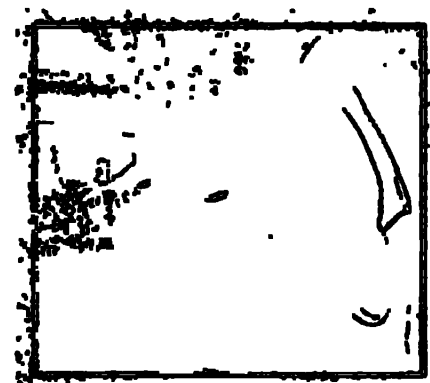
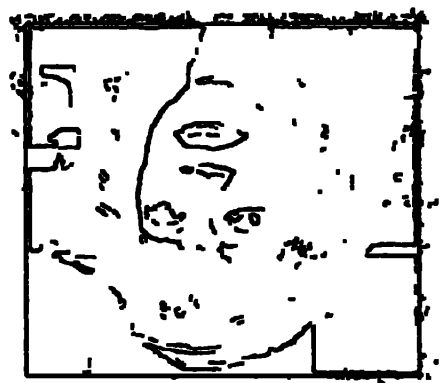
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Read the Tan Nguyen story

"WIN, LOSE... or JAIL"

and see if you can recognize

the danger in HR 1281

Dear Representative,

How would you feel if your home and offices were raided by the State Police 3 weeks before Election Day?



How would you feel if the raids were timed to pre-empt a news conference you had scheduled, so that video of the State Police raiding your campaign headquarters could be seen on the evening news?

How would you feel if you found out that your opponent met with the State Attorney General in the days immediately preceding the raids?

It happened to Tan - it could happen to you.

Please read the attached, "WIN, LOSE... or JAIL".

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Win, Lose... or Jail?

THE TAN NGUYEN STORY

The American Dream was turned into the American Nightmare when one corrupt politician, and many mindless ones fell all over themselves in a stampede to be politically correct.

The year was 2006. Tan Nguyen (pronounced win) had captured the Republican nomination for Congress in California's 47th District. Running a populist self funded campaign, the 32 year old novice was doing what no one thought possible, he was taking on the most powerful Latina Congresswoman in the US House of Representatives.

Tan, a Vietnamese Immigrant and former boat person, started his residence in America working alongside his parents at the age of eight as farm workers in Gilroy California. Tan worked his way through school and ended up a successful businessman.

Tan was smitten by the idea that in America nothing was impossible, and politics was the vehicle that could be used to make the world a better place.

Tan's opponent, Ms. Sanchez (a 10-year Congresswoman) had managed to retain her seat via a coalition of Hispanics and Vietnamese. Ms. Sanchez was a frequent guest on TV news shows such as Face the Nation whenever the Latino perspective was desired on a particular issue. Tan noted that for the 10 years Ms. Sanchez had been in Congress, there was no improvement to his district. Tan also noted that Ms. Sanchez was very successful in raising lots of money in campaign contributions, even though she hadn't had a serious challenge since getting elected. It was a mystery to Tan where all the money went as very little was ever spent campaigning.

Tan presented a campaign based on issues, which were important to the community. These issues included Illegal Immigration, Opposition to the Iraq War (Tan called for the partitioning of Iraq into 3 separate countries, and an immediate withdrawal of US troops). Tan also presented a populist program which included, programs to aid the elderly and to provide incentives to keep American jobs in America.

Tan also made Political Corruption a main issue, and exposed the fact that Sanchez, while seated on the powerful Armed Services Committee accepted campaign contributions from would-be Defense contractors. Some of the same folks who contributed to jailed Congressman Randy "Duke" Cunningham also contributed to Sanchez. Ms. Sanchez and her sister, along with Congressman Jefferson were the ONLY Representatives who accepted money from Vernon Jackson (pled guilty to bribing a Congressman and is now in prison.)

Tan's political brochures were scathing. Little by little, Tan began to gain ground.¹

On September 10, 2006, a poll conducted by the polling company sanctioned by the National Republican Party was released which showed Tan had pulled ahead of Ms. Sanchez.

Ms. Sanchez who had a history of being accused of getting illegal aliens to vote, was believed to be mobilizing illegal voters.

Tan met with the an Election worker who told Tan that many people had registered to vote with Caucasian names such as "Tom Smith" who spoke no English and could only speak Spanish. Tan then met with the Registrar of Voters who explained there was little which could be done to prevent illegal aliens from voting.

Some of Tan's friends met and decided to send out on their own a warning letter in Spanish to those who were registered to vote but were born in a foreign country. The letter stated, "If you are a citizen you should vote, but if you are a green card holder or illegal, it is a crime to vote."

Since the mailing was to be paid for by Tan's friends, under the Election laws, Tan could not be aware of its contents or it could be considered a campaign contribution.

The letter went out.

When Sanchez received a copy of the letter she immediately went to the California Attorney General claiming it was an anti Latino letter. California Attorney General Bill Lockyer, met with Sanchez and announced there would be an "accelerated investigation" and that arrests would be made.

¹ Ms Sanchez has affiliated herself with CAIR (Council on American Islamic Relations) A number of CAIR's top officials have been found guilty or pled guilty to giving aid to terrorist groups like Hamas (Washington Times dateline July 24, 2004) Please see www.anti-cair-net.org

The Governor announced (even though he hadn't read the actual letter) that whoever wrote the letter should be charged with a hate crime.

The California Attorney General called the county Republican Chairman to urge him not to support Tan because Tan was involved in a "Latino Intimidation letter". The Republican Party then repudiated Tan.

On Thursday October 19, 2006 Tan voluntarily met with the chief Assistant State Attorney General, explained that he wasn't involved with the letter, but provided a copy of the original letter in English which he had obtained and which intimidated no one.

By now the story of an "intimidation letter" had made national news.

Tan called a news conference for the next day at 2PM so that he could present the facts to the world.

A large contingent of television and print media gathered in front of Tan's office at the appointed time. Just before the news conference began, State Police appeared with a search warrant (they had obtained the day before), and demanded entry into Tan's office. The TV crews filmed them as they raided Tan's office and carted off all his computers, his mailing lists, and even some election signs. Simultaneously Tan's home was also raided.

That evening the raid on Tan's office was the lead news story across California, and was featured on national news as well. Everyone who watched TV that night figured Tan was a criminal... or why else would the police have raided his office?

Some supporters were shocked at the Police. Some folks left flowers in front of Tan's locked offices.

Two days later Tan finally had his news conference. However, despite calls for him to withdraw from the race from just about everybody, Tan fired out, "I'M INNOCENT AND THERE'S NO WAY IN HELL I AM GOING TO WITHDRAW!"

Tan didn't quit. Instead he fought back. He issued a brochure explaining that the whole thing was a dirty trick. The California Attorney General took the unprecedented step of answering the brochure!

A song was written to the tune of Stand By Your Man, called STAND BY OUR TAN. Tan put the song, the lyrics, as well as his speeches and brochures on his website www.TanforCongress.com (The web site is still up.)

A Demonstration was held by Tan's supporters

Tan kept campaigning. When the dust had settled, 38% of the Voters ignored the Governor, The Secretary of State, The Attorney General, the Republican Party, the Democratic Party, and the news media and they voted for Tan.

No charges were ever filed. No arrests were ever made. No Intimidation letter had ever been sent.

Just the power of the State was used to crush a guy who believed that in America, nothing is impossible.

TAN WILL RUN AGAIN IN 2008.

**RE. HR 1281 "VOTER INTIMIDATION LETTER" NEVER EXISTED!
A SHAM AND A PRETEXT FOR A POLITICAL LYNCHING**

Dear Representative

I am writing to ask that you please consider voting against HR1281, in its current form. As a former Congressional Candidate for California's 47th District, I, too, want nothing less but the best and fairest electoral process, one that protects and encourages all citizens to exercise their right to vote.

I get disgusted whenever I see news reports of blatant deceptive campaign practices that aim to silence our citizens' voice. However, I am as equally appalled when "dirty tricks" are employed by candidates and organizations, using racial politics and ethnic pandering, to create divisions and hysteria in our communities to harm one particular candidate, or ethnic community, and benefit another candidate, or ethnic community.

When I decided to enter the 2006 Congressional Election, I entered with all my very best hopes and dreams for our country. America has always been "The Greatest Nation on Earth" for me. I held this belief even at 7 ½ years old, escaping a Communist regime on a small boat, when my family was in a refugee camp in Hong Kong hoping to get admitted into America. I continued to hold this belief during those early days of living the American Dream while working on the farms of Galway, California, picking chilies and other fruits and vegetables.

That strong belief was briefly shaken when armed policemen raided my home and offices, less than three weeks prior to the General Election of 2006. My family was terrorized, my volunteers were terrorized. Images of the raid were televised and printed around the world. What for? What facts did California Attorney General Bill Lockyer, base his decision on, leading him to use such excessive force and authority to cause such a nightmare for my family and volunteers? Mr. Lockyer couldn't possibly have thought that such actions wouldn't affect the outcome of the election. As reported by the Orange County Register, Mr. Lockyer was meeting with my opponent, Ms. Loretta Sanchez, the evening prior, discussing his intent to raid my campaign offices and home, and promising that "arrests will come." All this happened because no one cared to read "the letter", which was disseminated without my authorization or approval.

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The original letter¹ was written in English, then translated back to Spanish and mailed (see attached: The Letter) It was then translated back into English by my opponent or her supporters, distorting its original message which was designed to dissuade illegals and other non qualified from voting fraudulently. This is new, and has been a problem in Orange County, California. Sadly, the problem of unqualified and or fraudulent voting is all but ignored by law enforcement

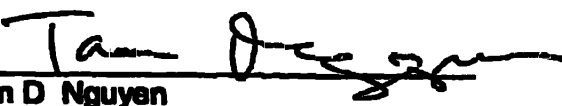
The same California Attorney General's Office which raided my home and raided my office has now announced that no voter intimidation letter ever existed and that I am "cleared" (see attached "TAN NGUYEN CLEARED" O.C. Register May 17, 2007)

So now, HR 1281 is a ~~sure~~ for a problem that does not exist!

I do not wish that nightmare on anyone, especially on political candidates who just want to serve their community and country. The HR 1281, in its current form, goes out of its way to protect even ineligible voters, but fails to address the rights of legal voters to choose their candidates without the interference by state authority. More importantly, it fails to protect our most sacred constitutional rights, the freedom of speech.

I was not permitted to testify during the Senate Judiciary Committee's hearing of S453 (the Senate version of HR 1281), nor was I permitted to submit the actual original letter into the record. I am therefore sending you this package in the hope that it may be considered.

Please do not let what happened to me happen to anyone else.


Tan D. Nguyen

¹ The original letter was prepared by a person of the Jewish faith who is married to an Afro-Latina. The author's mother was an acquaintance of the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. The letter was translated into Spanish by a person of the Muslim faith who is certified to teach Spanish in California and who continues to stand by the use of the word "emigrado" as the correct translation of a green card holder. The letter was signed by a Mexican-American fluent in Spanish.

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To: Ms Alva DeJarnett-Miller Fax: 202-219-3923

From: Tan Nguyen Date: 7/26/2007

Re: FEC Complaint MUR-5924 Pages: 1 with cover

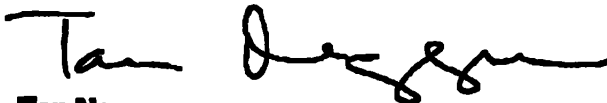
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Dear Ms. DeJarnett-Miller,

I am writing to request an extension to file a response to a complaint (MUR-5924) against myself and the Tan Nguyen for Congress Committee of 2006. I did not get the complaint and letter from the FEC dated July 13, 2007 until July 23, 2007, due to the delay in forwarding of my mail to my new address (2771 Palmetto Dr, Carlsbad, CA 92009). Please allow me until August 15, 2007 to respond, so I can have time to consult with my Attorney.

Thank you,


Tan Nguyen

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